



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Mr. Glenn M. Willard
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RE MUR 5731
DeRossett for Congress and Lori Jean
Lobbestael, in her official capacity as
treasurer; Oscar Gene DeRossett

Dear Mr. Willard:


_____ The Commission also found that there is probable cause to believe that DeRossett for Congress and Lori Jean Lobbestael, in her official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a-1(b)(1), a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, and 11 C.F.R. § 400.21(b), and that Oscar Gene DeRossett, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a-1(b)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 400.25, in connection with the failure to file a timely notification of Mr. DeRossett's expenditure of personal funds in excess of \$350,000 during the 2004 primary election campaign.

The Commission has a duty to attempt to correct such violations for a period of at least 30 days and no more than 90 days by informal methods of conference, conciliation, and persuasion, _____ If we are unable to reach an agreement after 30 days, the Commission may institute a civil suit in United States District Court and seek payment of a civil penalty

Sincerely,

Thomasenia P. Duncan
General Counsel

By:


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